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In re Application of

: Modak et al

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For

: ANTIMICROBIAL MEDICAL DEVICES

RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.53(f)

Commissioner for Patents Box Missing Parts Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Responsive to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application Under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(f) dated February 20, 2001, enclosed herewith is a Declaration referring to the above-identified application by one or more of the following in compliance with 37 C.F.R. 1.63:

- [X] Name of inventor and application serial number;
- [X] Name of inventor, attorney docket number which was on the application as filed, and filing date of the application;
- [X] Name of inventor, title of invention and filing date;

CERTIFICATE OF MAIL

I hereby certify that this paper is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231, on <u>March 21, 2001</u>.

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- [] Name of inventor, title of invention and reference to a specification which is attached to the oath or declaration at the time of execution and filed with the oath or declaration;
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Also enclosed are:

1. [X] A check in the amount of \$\\$130.00

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Respectfully submitted,

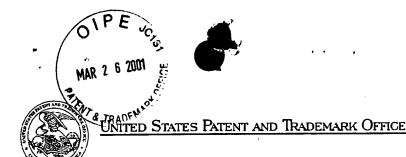
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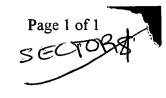
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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e)
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